

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY TOKYO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC FLASH 5986

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ASEC, JA

SUBJ: ATTACK ON EMBASSY

1. THIS IS TO CONFIRM MC ELROY OPCENTER TELECON.

2. EMBASSY CHANCERY WAS ATTACKED AT ABOUT 1130 BY JAPANESE YOUTHS ARMED WITH MOLOTOV COCKTAILS AND CLUBS. THERE WERE NO INJURIES AND NO SIGNIFICANT DAMAGE. POLICE IMMEDIATELY APPREHENDED SIX OF THE ATTACKERS. ATTACKERS WORE RED HELMETS WITH JAPANESE INSCRIPTION SEIENE DOMEI (YOUTH LEAGUE). POLICE BELIEVE THEY BELONG TO "MARUSEIDO" (MARXIST YOUTH LEAGUE) ORGANIZATION NOT BELIEVED TO HAVE ANY CONNECTION WITH JAPANESE RED ARMY.

3. POLICE ESTIMATE THIRTEEN MOLOTOV COCKTAILS THROWN, SOME OF WHICH IGNITED WITHIN EMBASSY GROUNDS.

4. EMBASSY HAS STRENGTHENED INTERNAL SECURITY MEASURES. POLICE HAVE SURROUNDED EMBASSY, EMBASSY ANNEX AND RESIDENCE WITH RIOT POLICE.

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5. SOVIET EMBASSY ATTACKED AT ABOUT SAME TIME. POLICE BE-

LIEVE ATTACKERS WERE ALSO MEMBERS OF "MARUSEIDO".

6. ABOVE BASED ON FIRST AVAILABLE INFORMATION. WILL SUBMIT FURTHER DETAILS.

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